GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AYURVEDA,YOGA & NATUROPATHY,UNANI,SIDDHA AND HOMEOPATHY (AYUSH)
LOK SABHA

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Tourists Inflow Seeking AYUSH Treatment
Birla Shri Om

Will the Minister of AYURVEDA,YOGA & NATUROPATHY,UNANI,SIDDHA AND HOMEOPATHY (AYUSH) be pleased to state:

Will the Minister of AYURVEDA, YOGA AND NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY (AYUSH) be pleased to state:

(a) the number of alternative medicine centres functioning in the country, State/ UT-wise;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government proposes to start maintaining records of tourists inflow seeking alternative medicine in India and if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the details of funds allocated and utilised by the alternative medicine centres in the country during each of the last three years, State/UT-wise and?

Answer

ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA,
YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)
(a) & (b): As health is a State subject, the data on number of alternative medicine centres functioning in the country State/UT-wise is not maintained by Government of India. However, as per the information reported by the State/UT Governments, the number of AYUSH hospitals and dispensaries available in the country State/UT-wise is furnished at Annexure-I.
(c): The Government is not maintaining the records of tourist inflow seeking alternative medicines in India. However, the data on status of tourists coming for medical purpose as provided by Ministry of Tourism is furnished at Annexure-II.
(d): The status of funds allocated and released to the State/UT Governments for AYUSH systems of medicines under National AYUSH Mission (NAM) is furnished at Annexure −III.
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